



General Assembly

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Proposed Bill No. 793

LCO No. 2266

Referred to Committee on Judiciary

Introduced by:
SEN. HARP, 10th Dist.

**AN ACT CONCERNING THE RESPONSIBILITIES OF A PARENT OR
GUARDIAN OF A DELINQUENT CHILD.**

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General
Assembly convened:

- 1 That the general statutes be amended to provide that if a child has
- 2 been convicted as delinquent, the parent or guardian of the child shall
- 3 be required to participate in all programs of care, treatment or
- 4 rehabilitation related to the delinquency, and shall be held financially
- 5 responsible for the cost of such care, treatment or rehabilitation, except
- 6 that if the court determines that the parent or guardian is unable to pay
- 7 such costs, the court shall order the parent or guardian to perform
- 8 community service.

Statement of Purpose:

To require a parent or guardian to participate in and pay for the cost of
care, treatment and rehabilitation for a child who has been convicted
as delinquent.